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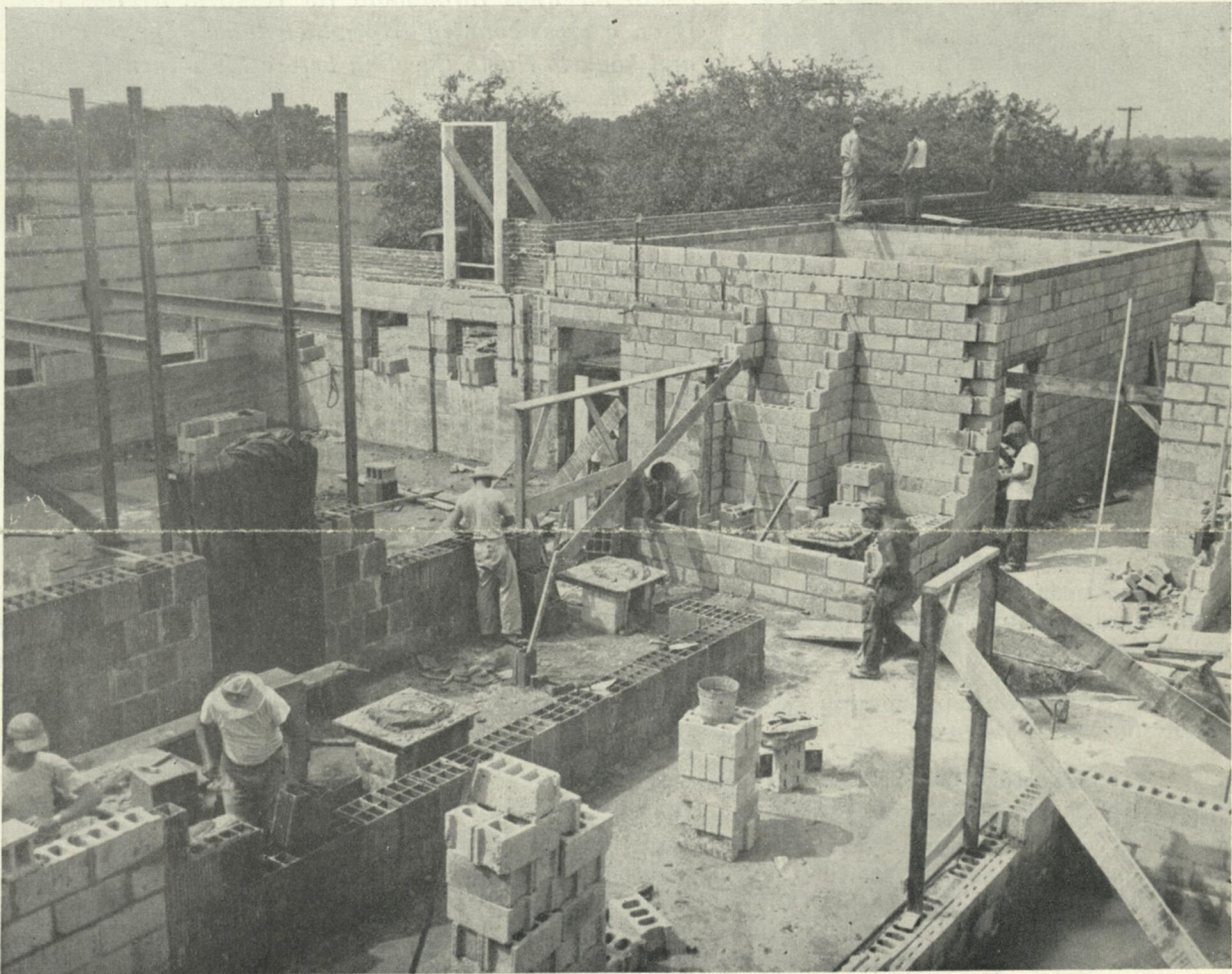
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UPLAND, INDIANA — AUGUST 1949



Here are shown masons working on the center part and right of the new Ayres-Alumni Memorial Library. Actually, the pictures that are taken do not begin to keep up with the construction. At this time the walls of the left wing are completely up and those on the other will be finished by the time this bulletin comes off the press. Those on the campus for Homecoming Day, October 14, will see a building with the roof in place.

Taylor University is grateful that the administration had the faith and the vision to begin this important work. Thousands of men and women will get a better Christian education because of the advantages offered through a modern, well-equipped library.

The President, the staff, and the student body thank God for the gifts that are making this building possible. Many more must come in before it is paid for in full, but Taylor trusts and believes that its prayers will be answered.

Well ahead of schedule, the contractors will be finished sometime in December. The interior will be pushed to completion as fast as practicable.



Our 104th Year

Dr. A. Leland Forrest, Dean, recently released information relative to the new school year. This was prepared in the form of the following press release which will be of interest to readers of the Taylor Bulletin. In addition to his duties at Taylor, Dr. Forrest is much in demand for youth meetings throughout the country. At this time he is on a cross-country trip which takes him to California and back to North Carolina before his return to the campus.

Taylor University will open its 104th year September 12 when the freshman orientation program will begin. Registration of returning students is set for September 15 and classes will meet the next day, school officials said today.

The summer session at Taylor was concluded August 15. Ninety-eight students were in attendance.

Housing facilities will be full again this year, according to Miss Ruth Young, who is in charge. At this time over 600 applications have been approved or are pending. This compares with a total of 578 registered last year. Miss Young stated that in all probability this figure will remain about as it is because cancellations coming in now offset applications being received.

MORE MARRIED STUDENTS

There will be more married students than ever this year, it was stated, and efforts are being made to locate apartments and houses for them in nearby communities. There will be no limit, however, on the number of commuters who will be accepted.

Actually students will begin arriving on the campus by August 29 when Coach Paul P. Williams will hold his first football drills for the 1949 season. The first game is scheduled to be played against Huntington College at Marion on the night of September 16.

Other home contests on the nine-game schedule are with Canterbury College at Marion the night of October 14 with Indiana Central at Hartford City the afternoon of November 12.

SIX ADDED TO STAFF

Williams is one of six new professors who are being added to the staff this year. Others are Dr. Harold T. Wiebe, Dr. Manly J. Powell, Robert W. Glover, Gordon Hubbard, and Jean Van Horn.

The new football coach won major letters at Shaw High School, Cleveland, and at Florida

Southern College where he attended for two years before transferring to Taylor where he was graduated in 1943.

Williams has his master's degree from Western Reserve University and has been employed since 1946 as Program and Physical Director of the Heights Y. M. C. A. in Cleveland. He was employed after Max McCord found it impossible to accept the position.

WIEBE TO TEACH BIOLOGY

Dr. Wiebe, with the Ph. D. degree from the University of Illinois, will teach botany, human anatomy, and physiology, and comparative anatomy in the Division of Natural Science. He was formerly head of the biology department at Greenville College.

Dr. Powell who will head the chemistry department has completed work on the Ph. D. at Michigan State College. He also had four years of industrial experience in the Physical Research Laboratory at the Dow Chemical Company, Midland, Mich. All of his graduate work was earned by means of graduate teaching assistantships and by working on an industrial fellowship with the Parke-Davis Company of Detroit. An expert in the field of vitamin research, Powell has received considerable attention for his work.

Mr. Glover will replace Frew D. Mohr as head of the Division of Fine Arts. He will receive the degree of Doctor of Sacred Music from Union Theological Seminary in 1950. Already work has been completed on it.

He now holds the degree of Bachelor of Music Education from Knox College; Master of Science in Music Education, University of Illinois; and Master of Science in Music from Union. He is a Licentiate of Trinity College of Music, London, and an Associate in the American Guild of Organists. This summer he is studying in Kent, England.

In addition to working as assistant business manager, Mr. Hubbard will teach cost accounting and economics. He has his B. B. A. degree from Pace College of New York City.

Miss Van Horn, a Taylor graduate, will teach women's physical education.

Taylor regularly offers standard courses leading to the degrees of Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science in Education. In addition to the liberal arts and education courses, Taylor also offers pre-medical, pre-engineering, and pre-nursing courses.



Carol Walters

Dean A. Leland Forrest announced several improvements in academic offerings. It is now possible, he said, to earn a major in business at Taylor and to become qualified for a high school license in that field. Carol Walters is head of the department of business. This department is expected to increase the student enrollment substantially.

The Division of Social Studies is offering a new course in social service to individuals as background training for social workers. One of the requirements is 60 hours of actual social work in Marion in cooperation with the welfare department.

Other new courses to be offered are the history of biology, Christian theology, and the philosophy of Christian missions. New courses in physical science survey and biological science survey are being offered for the first time as overviews of the two fields.

The art department, which last year expanded to accommodate four different sections in the arts and crafts course, will add courses in commercial art and ceramics. This work is in charge of Mrs. Marion May, who recently gave the department a new electric kiln for use in pottery making.

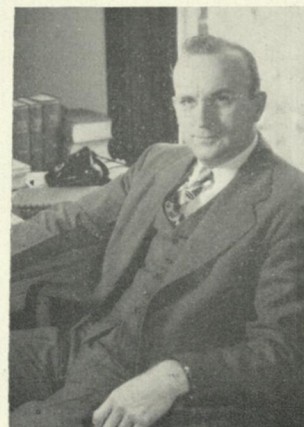


Marion May

The Education Division has been moved to Sickler Hall where all education offices are located and all education course held. The department under the direction of Dr. Ronald D. Jones is making advances which are bringing much favorable comment.

The Development Program, of which the library is a part, will continue through the year. Fund raising will continue to be directed by John Lam-ey, assistant to the president, and Sherman W. Spear, executive secretary of the alumni association.

The department of public relations under the direction of Willis J. Dunn and Mr. Spear plans to broaden its scope both in reaching prospective students and in making Taylor better known in nearby towns and cities. This will include publicity through newspaper channels, magazines, radio, and direct contact.



Ronald D. Jones

This year for the first time Taylor athletic teams will compete as members of the Hoosier College Conference which also includes Earlham, Hanover, Franklin, Canterbury, Anderson, Rose Poly, Manchester, and Indiana Central.

Athletic Director Don J. Odle has planned a trip to California for his basketball squad for the Christmas holidays. In addition to his duties as head of the athletic department, Odle will coach basketball and golf. Coach Williams will handle football and baseball. The track team will be handled by Coach R. Edgar May who was absent from the staff last year because of illness. This is the first year that Taylor has had three athletic coaches.

Campus buildings are being renovated in preparation for the expected record enrollment. This includes replacing all bathrooms in the dormitories with new tile baths and showers. Considerable work is also being done on faculty homes. These improvements, college officials say, are a definite factor in keeping faculty and student morale high. They mean a bigger student body with less men and women dropping out prior to their graduation.

The school calendar for 1949-50 lists faculty meetings on September 10 and 12 as the official opening of the new school year. They will be followed by freshman orientation September 12-14. Following registration on the 14th and 15th, class work begins September 16.

Thanksgiving recess will be from November 23-28 and the Christmas vacation, December 21 to January 4. The first semester closes January 28. School will close for Easter recess April 5 and resume April 13. The college year will be concluded with Alumni Day, June 3; baccalaureate, June 4; and commencement, June 5.



Ernest E. Miller



J. H. Chitwood



James R. Uhlinger

PROMINENT SPEAKERS ON SCHEDULE

The fall revival at Taylor is scheduled from September 26 to October 2, and Dr. J. H. Chitwood, pastor of McCoy Memorial Methodist Church, Birmingham, Alabama, will be the evangelist.

Dr. Chitwood has been in Birmingham at his present post since 1939. He is a member of the Executive Committee of the General Board of Evangelism and Secretary of the Board of Trustees and Executive Committee of Birmingham-Southern College.

In 1940, the evangelist was a member of the Jurisdictional Conference of the Methodist Church and in 1944 and 1948, he was a member of the General Conference. He has an A. B. degree from Birmingham-Southern College and a D. D. degree from Athens College as well as one from his alma-mater.

SPIRITUAL AWAKENING

The revival coming soon after classes begin is one of the religious functions of Taylor life in which students find their lives spiritually awakened. In these meetings, Jesus Christ as Saviour becomes a reality to many for the first time. Others find renewed strength in them for the tasks of the coming year.

Together with the annual Youth Conference, the revival makes up the two outstanding religious events of the year. Throughout the entire school program, however, students continually renew their religious experiences by attendance at the Thursday evening prayer services. Holiness League, Ambassadors for Christ meetings, and the Sunday evening evangelistic services.

Matriculation Day, which precedes Homecoming Day, has been set for October 7 with Dr. Ernest E. Miller, president of Goshen College, as the speaker. Before coming to Goshen in 1939, he was principal

of Dhamtai Christian Academy, Dhamtai, India. Dr. Miller has the Ph. D. degree from New York University and has also attended Biblical Seminary and Princeton Theological Seminary.

A Mennonite, Dr. Miller has served as director of the board of education of his church and also its school of nursing. He served on a relief commission to Europe in the summer of 1946. For his work in education he was made a member of Phi Delta Kappa, honorary educational fraternity.

UHLINGER TO SPEAK

Rev. James R. Uhlinger, pastor of St. John's Methodist Church, Davenport, Iowa, will be the speaker at chapel exercises on Homecoming Day, Friday, October 14. This will be at 9:30 in the morning.

The speaker graduated from Taylor in 1929 and continued his education at Garrett Biblical Institute and the University of Chicago Divinity School. Mrs. Uhlinger is the former Gladys I. Jerrett. They have three daughters: Barbara, Carolyn, and Susan.

St. John's is a church of 2800 members and is one of the largest Methodist churches in the country. Rev. Uhlinger is Area Counselor of Youth Work for 30,000 Methodist youth in Iowa, and he is also head of the Mental Health Center board of directors, one of the nation's first such institutions under the National Mental Health Act.

Other features of Homecoming Day include the Alumni Banquet in the evening and the football game with Canterbury College that night in Marion.

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